

The Bulletin.

NEWS OF THE CITY.

OUR ROUNDABOUT POCKET.

shower this a.m. was grateful to vegetation.

The large furniture warehouse of B. S. Harrell is about to receive a new foundation.

A new supply of Cal. Boots and Gaiters just received at P. Neff's, No. 59 Ohio Levee.

Philip Schmidt has commenced the erection of a snug little residence in the upper part of the city.

BARBARIANS!—A good suit of clothing for ten dollars, at P. Neff's, 79 Ohio Levee.

John B. Phillips is "going it alone," but most prosperously, in the commission, for buying and produce business.

RECEIVED.—She Shoo Fly Elliott has just received Me Hats and caps at P. Neff's, No. 79 Ohio Levee.

Everybody uses Wizard Oil, and Barrels Bros. sell it cheap for cash. Patented home institutions. Buy from the Barrels.

A single ticket in Mr. Reilly's gift enterprise must draw the capital prize—a \$12,000 brick residence. Call on him and buy that ticket, lest somebody else gets it.

It is gravely conjectured that the skeleton plowed up in the Fourth ward, the other day, is that of a white man, Indian or negro! The intelligence of this age is fairly marvelous.

It would be well for parties having plants and shrubs to sell, to imitate the example of Mr. Amadus Jaekel, and advertise them in the BULLETIN. The inquiry, now active, will be of short duration.

THOMAS. Nicholas Billiard Hall is one of the largest and best furnished in the country. It is the resort of both citizens and strangers who indulge in billiard play.

Why did D. W. Munn, in his letter to the colored people of Cairo, address them as "my colored fellow citizens?" Why the distinguishing prefix "colored?" Will these distinctions never be wiped out?

MR. A. FARR, Grand Deputy of the I. O. G. T., has been lecturing at Metropolis on temperance. Why does he remain away from Cairo? We have several drunkards in the city who need reformation, and we would like to have Farr talk to them.

A WOMAN, giving voice to the most piteous lamentations, passed along Eleventh street, yesterday evening, arresting not a little attention. She mourned the loss of a babe, and scarcely lighter was her grief than that of Lear over the loss of a home, a family and a kingdom.

The assertion of the BULLETIN that the street tax may be paid in city scrip has been continued, in certain quarters, to a "direct attack upon the democratic party"—because, forsooth, the fact asserted may injure to the advantage of the negroes. The world progresses.

The city of Cairo derives her easement or right to use the Cairo wharf, free of charge, from the Cairo City Property Trustees. The grant is made in express terms, and recorded with the plat of the city, to the preservation of title to the land.

MR. LINCOLN, in his speech to the colored people last Tuesday, avowed himself unalterably opposed to what is termed "social equality." Seeing that the avowed didn't take well with his audience, he at once tried to make it appear that he, himself, was of African extraction!

The Metropolis Promulgator says that, "A. Cutting is progressing rapidly with the large wharf-boat he is building for Capt. Hind of Cairo." The Council will probably congregate on the levee and view with tears the new boat swing to her moorings, and will not the Mayor tear his hair in wrath?

WHITE SUGAR, 6 1/2 lbs. good brown sugar, 7 1/2 lbs. Rio Coffee, 4 1/2 lbs. choice Langyria coffee, 3 1/2 lbs. O. G. Java coffee, 3 lbs. for \$1.00. Baking powder 50 cents per lb. Coal oil 40 cents per gallon. Peaches and tomatoes 20 cents per can, and all kinds of groceries and provisions, cheap, by J. H. PHILLIPS, 81 Cor. Washington ave. and 4th street.

Announcing the birth of a son to his Honor, Judge Baker, McCartney, in his Promulgator, says: "Report asserts that the young Judge was making a law speech at the time his father arrived!" Mac is incorrect. When the Judge arrived at home from the court house he found that during his absence a Cross-Bill had been filed, which is a good joke, if the baby's name is William.

The public school children are not a little exercised over the groundless rumor that colored children will be admitted on equal terms with them. On the other hand, a number of the colored children are exceedingly unhappy over the thought that there is a purpose to compel them to enter the white schools. The youngsters on both sides may quiet their fears. Public sentiment, just now, is averse to such a mixture.

At the risk of subjecting ourselves to the charge of desiring to "disrupt the democratic party," we must suggest that it would be well for the democracy of the city to settle upon a competent and substantial member of the party to fill Mr. Williamson's vacant seat in the Select Council. Much opposition as the radicals can now muster, by laying Mound City and Caledonia under contribution for colored votes, will make this contest interesting, but not at all doubtful.

THE COURTS.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Hon. D. J. BAKER, presiding.
Mr. John Q. HARMAN, Clerk;
J. F. McCARTNEY, Prosecuting Attorney.

Wednesday, A. M.

McKenzie & Rice vs. Peter Zimmerman. Mechanics' lien. Report of sale approved.

William Garvin vs. Marinda Marchildon. Ejectment. Continued by agreement.

Wetherill & Bro. vs. John P. Taggart. Debt. Continued for service.

J. M. Pierce vs. Illinois Central railroad company. Assumpsit. Continued by agreement.

Sarah J. Kurtz vs. Gertrude V. Kurtz, et al. Partition. Continued for sale and report.

Smith & Jayne vs. James Garland. Debt. Continued on motion of defendant.

Elizabeth Hutchinson vs. Illinois Central railroad company. Trespass. Continued by agreement.

William W. White vs. Reason Heater. Assumpsit. Continued generally.

Don Carlos Buell vs. Cairo City Coal company. Assumpsit. Continued by agreement.

B. Smyth & Co. vs. James Maguire. Assumpsit. Venue changed to Pulaski county.

Wolcott & Swasey vs. John P. Gibson. Assumpsit. Continued by agreement.

Court then adjourned until this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Thursday, A. M.

Fred Brawe & Co. vs. William Winter. Assumpsit. Judgment for plaintiffs.

Parris & Allen vs. William Winter. Assumpsit. Case continued.

James Roach, et al., vs. Timothy Cookly. Assumpsit. Attachment for witnesses ordered.

The City National Bank vs. Thomas Lewis, et al. Debt. Motion for a change of venue entered.

James Sullivan vs. The Putnam Fire Insurance company. Assumpsit. Case on trial.

Court then adjourned until this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FISTICUFFS.

Two Battles Fought, and a Third "Hankered After."

The little village of Goose Island, in this county, was all aglow with excitement, a few days ago, from the following cause, viz: Robert Russell, a well kit, muscular country man, was engaged in a quarrel with one Joshua Thurston, when a third party, named Green F. Moss, entered an appearance, apparently as a mere spectator.

The quarrel progressed to a point where Russell thought that blows should begin, and accordingly, he commenced drawing his coat for a fight. The instant he threw his coat back so as to encumber his arms, Green F. Moss "mounted him."

Being taken at great advantage, Russell could do nothing more than to take a drubbing quietly and philosophically as he could. Moss took full satisfaction, and then retired in good order. Russell gained his feet, threw off his coat, and avowed himself so much displeased with the result that nothing short of another round would satisfy him.

In due time he found Moss in Gunter's store, and then there attacked him. A furious fight ensued, and Moss received about as complete a dressing off as he had administered to Russell. As this result left matters about where they were at the commencement, Moss expressed himself dissatisfied, and only awaits an opportunity for a third contest, the issue of which he thinks will prove satisfactory.

SERIOUS AFFRAY.

An Innocent Man Killed.

On Saturday last two men, whose names we could not learn, entered a grocery in the town of Santa Fe, in this county, about twenty miles from Cairo, and soon afterwards engaged in an angry altercation.

Words lead to blows, when one of the men, seizing a heavy glass tumbler, hurled it at the head of the other with all the force at his command. Wesley Price, a respectable citizen of the county, was sitting in his wagon, directly in front of the grocery door. The glass, missing the object at which it was thrown, struck Mr. Price directly in the forehead, knocking him senseless, and inflicting injuries from which he died within forty-eight hours. Mr. Price was wounded on Saturday and died the ensuing Monday.

PICK OUT YOUR CHOICE.

The undersigned will sell his stock of cowers, for cash, cheaper than anybody else in town. The best perpetual roses all of which are in large pots; roses you cannot buy at any nursery for less than 50 and 75 cts. a piece. I will sell for 25 to 50 cts., verbenas by the dozen, from 75 to \$1.25; pansies, by the dozen, at \$1.00, single geraniums, from 5 to 25 cts. a piece, double geraniums, from 40 to 75 cts., pelargoniums, from 10 to 25 cts., tropeoliums and tritomas, at 25 cts., eupheas, double petunias, sweet-scented geraniums, chrysanthemums, feverfews, ranunculus, etc., etc., at 10 to 15 cts. a piece, amaryllis formosissima, a splendid flower when blooming, all ready started in large pots, at 50 cts. a piece. Come and see!

AMANDUS JAEKEL.

Fifteenth St. bet. Walnut and Cedar.

THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL AND RESTAURANT.

This popular and eligibly located house of public entertainment is now fitted and furnished throughout in good style; and, under the management of Messrs. Walker & Slisson, is doing a large and thriving business. It is kept upon the European plan—the guest calling for what he wants and when he wants it, whether in the day or night time, and paying only for what he orders. The rooms are large and clean, furnished with the best of beds and bedding, while all other features of the establishment are arranged with an especial eye to the comfort and convenience of the guests.

BRICK LAYER AND CONTRACTOR.

Mr. Geo. B. Chrisman advertises, to-day, his readiness to contract for any kind of brick work, from the building of the largest churches and school houses down to the under-pinning of a house or the topping off of a flue. We can heartily recommend Mr. Chrisman as a first class mechanic, having all around us, in some of the finest residences and business houses of the city, the most incontestible evidence of his skill and industry. He will take contracts for work and furnish material or not, as may be desired, in any section of the country, and will insure ample satisfaction in every instance. Address him or apply in person, at Cairo.

ICE CREAM, SODA, SELTER AND KISSINGEE WATERS, ETC.

P. Saup, 104 Commercial avenue, ever attentive to the wants of the inner man, has opened his elegant and well-furnished Ice Cream Saloon, where, besides the most delicious ices, the patron may obtain the cooling and healthful Soda, Selter and Kissingee waters in their greatest purity.

Ladies or families may visit the saloon without fear of intruders.

Additions have been made to the stock of tobacco, cigars, etc., worthy of the special attention of buyers, either wholesale or retail.

LATENT FROM THE LADIES.

Since the introduction of Phalon's Vitalia or Salvation for the Hair, ladies who formerly used dyes, are universally abandoning them. They find the new article so harmless, so clean and pure, so pleasant to the senses, and withal so superior as a means of renewing the original color, that they absolutely shudder when they think of the filthy stuff they once used.

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HARDWARE FOR SALE.

Go to C. W. Henderson for anything in the line of Hardware, such as Bats, Locks, Screws, and a general assortment of shelf hardware. Also, a lot of Garden Implements, such as Rakes, Hoes, Manure and Hay Forks, etc., etc.

Mr. Henderson has also just received the largest and best stock of cooking stoves ever brought to the city, and sells cheap for cash.

THE Sun, our Sun, that shines so brightly, advises the citizens to pay the street tax in scrip and not in greenbacks. It says: "Of course Supervisor Ryan will not refuse them. It is not his duty to explain all this matter. Let every man take care of himself." Right, Oh, Sunny Sun. We don't blame Ryan either. He would be an ass, without any of the brightness which distinguished Balaam's, or which now makes glorious the Sun, if he did not take pay in greenbacks from all who offer to pay in that currency. But, let us whisper in the ear of the citizen: "Pay in scrip. Do you hear?"

THE examination of the classes in music at the Conservatory, will begin on Tuesday evening at 7 1/2 o'clock. Friends of the pupils will be presented with tickets. The number of visitors will be limited each evening, so that all can be provided with seats. The musical entertainment will close on Friday evening with a grand concert, of which due notice will be given.

The next term of the Conservatory will begin on Monday, April 18th, and continue 10 weeks. Tuition \$5.00, in advance.

CARSON, the dealer in pianos and sewing machines, is building up a very good business. He has earned success, for a more persevering, industrious individual is not numbered among our citizens. He will contract with you for the delivery of a \$1000 piano, or the repair of a machine shuttle—always ready to accommodate in the smallest as well as the largest transactions. After awhile we expect to see him the proprietor of one of the largest piano ware-rooms in the Southwest, on the principle that "tail oaks from little acorns grow."

Messrs. Miller and Miller have just received an unusually large, well-assorted and strictly fashionable supply of piece goods, to which they ask especial attention. The lot embraces the finest cloths and cassimers ever brought to Cairo, and such a variety of styles that all tastes may be accommodated. Suits or garments from these goods are made to order in the best manner and latest style, and at figures that will defy competition. For proof of this they only ask to be put on trial. At all events call around and see the new goods.

Boys, and now and then individuals of maturer growth, having improvised all kinds of boats and floats, may be seen at all hours, on the surface of lake Shanney. No kind of work is more laborious than poling or rowing these heavy floats, yet they call it fun. It not infrequently happens that boats capsize or the rafts go to pieces and send their human freight to the bottom of the lake, but no serious results have ensued, so far.

PHOTOGRAPH! PHOTOGRAPH!

Go to J. O. Bagwell, Photographer, corner Eighth street, and Ohio Levee, for pictures, Carte de Visites, etc. Having made arrangements with some of the best artists of our large cities, he respectfully solicits orders for copying and enlarging old pictures. Call at his rooms and see specimens of work in that line.

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A WORD OF ADVICE.

Mothers know the importance attached to the care of teaching children. Read the advertisement of Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup in another column.

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Clothing for the million at P. Neff's No. 79 Ohio Levee. The best good in the city will be found at this house.

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Drawers and Undershirts, at a sacrifice at P. Neff's, No. 79 Ohio Levee.

FLOUR.

One hundred half-barrels of Choice Family Flour, suitable for the trade, for sale at the Egyptian Mills. apildawlw.

RITTENHOUSE & HANBY

Have just received a choice lot of carpets in all the latest designs and makes, bought at panic prices, and sold cheaper than ever.

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THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER.

Services will be held in the Church of the Redeemer every day during the week, commencing at 11 o'clock a. m., the Rev. Mr. Coan, officiating. There will also be services on Wednesday and Friday evenings, at 7 1/2 o'clock.

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MINERAL WATERS.

FIRST OF THE SEASON.

Kissingee, Selter, and Blue Lick Waters, and all the other variety of water from the celebrated springs of Germany and America, on draft and for sale by the glass gallon or barrel at the drug store of B. T. Whitaker, No. 198 Commercial avenue, Cairo Ills.

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DAVIDSON not only deals in plows, cultivators and the thousand and one traps, tricks and implements so useful in and about the farmer's home, but has the habit of keeping everything which can be found no where else. One can learn more about the inventive genius of mankind, or, more properly, Yankee ingenuity, by a ten minutes' inspection of the multitude of contrivances and queer, useful and ornamental "contraptions" collected in his warehouses, than can be learned from any book on inventions extant. Lest this expression be misconstrued by some of the "sentinels upon the democratic watch-tower," we feel called upon to add the assurance that, in making it, we entertain no purpose whatever, to "hurt the Democratic party."

Good Calf Boots for two dollars and seventy-five cents only at P. Neff's, No. 79 Ohio Levee.

Use Ender's Chili Cure—"It never fails."

THE BEST IN USE—Ender's Chili Cure.

RIVER NEWS.

The weather is clear and spring-like with the temperature almost too warm. The growth of vegetation is somewhat extraordinary, and the forest trees, finding themselves behind time, have assumed their green attire more suddenly than usual. House plants and shrubbery are growing so rapidly that one can almost perceive the increase of foliage from hour to hour. The thermometer indicated 74 deg.

The river has fallen about five inches altogether, and the decline will be quite slow, for some time.

The Mississippi is rising slowly at St. Louis, and enough water is reported coming down to keep it so for a day or two, and afterwards to keep it from declining rapidly.

The Ohio is rising again at Pittsburg, with eleven feet water in the channel and more heavy rains are reported; it is falling rapidly at Cincinnati and Louisville, with only seven feet water in the chute over the falls.

The Cumberland is again falling, with 12 feet on Harpeth Shoals.

Business is more dull at our wharf than for six months past.

The City of Evansville brought 19 tons mds. for Cairo, 395 bags wheat for St. Louis, and 48 bbls whisky for New Orleans.

The Tyrone brought 175 bbls tobacco for reshipment to New Orleans; 13 cattle and 50 tons sundries for St. Louis, and a few lots sundries for Cairo.

Captain J. Stut Neal has purchased an interest in the Magenta, and has taken command of her. She was advertised to leave New Orleans for St. Louis, last Saturday in company with the Great Republic and Mollie Able.

The C. B. Church and M. J. Wicks have gone into the trade for which they were originally designed—that of Memphis and St. Louis packets. One of them will leave St. Louis every Wednesday and Saturday, and one leave Memphis on the same days.

The Louisville newspapers are in extenuation over Capt. Gus Fowler's new steamer Idlewild, which is to arrive here to-day, Thursday, and take her place as a permanent packet between this city and Evansville. From other sources also, however, we learn that she is a perfect beauty, both outside and inside, and is complete in everything necessary for the comfort or convenience of the traveler. She has a "freeman's bureau" in her Texas, so that "our colored fellow citizen's" lately styled "niggers," can revel in all the enjoyments of a first-class cabin passage without being compelled to "sociate with de pore white trash." Her clerks office is fitted up in superb style, with richly figured colored plate-glass. Her carpet is of a beautiful pattern and is English tapestry. Her two bridal chambers are said to surpass all others in every particular necessary for either comfort or elegance. The ceiling of one is ornamented with the painting of "a sweet little cupid boy, and the other with that of a loving little cupid girl," at least so says the reporter of the Louisville Courier-Journal, who, we suppose is au fait on the question of sex.

The dimensions of the Idlewild are as follows: Hull 222 feet long, 35 feet beam, 64 feet hold. Engines, 22 inches diameter, 64 feet stroke, with four boilers 26 feet long, 38 inches diameter, double flued. She has wrought iron shafts and cranks, and her water wheels are 26 1/2 feet in diameter, with 12 feet length of bucket plank. Her draught of water, with steam up, and

a full supply of fuel, is 26 inches forward and 33 inches aft. Her officers are: Gus Fowler, Captain W. P. Fowler, and Duke Nicholson.

clerk, Wash Phillips and Capt. Frank Du Souchet, Pilots. John Moore and St. Moore, Engineers. A. T. Tucker, Mate. Geo. Jackson, Steward.

The Thompson Dean is due this evening for New Orleans, and the Shreve for Shreveport are due this evening.

The Idlewild is the regular packet for Evansville this evening.

Street Supervisor Ryan demanded three dollars street tax from the clerk of the Bismarck the other day. The demand was insisted on in a very peremptory manner, so the clerk reports, but was not complied with. Ryan afterwards said he was joking, but it is a rough joke on the character of the city.

FLOURING MILL.

THE EGYPTIAN MILLS

OHIO LEVEE, CAIRO.

FULTON & SONS, - Proprietors.

Are Now in Full Operation.

Messrs. Fulton & Sons are prepared to furnish all kinds of Flour of the best quality, and also Mill Feed of all kinds. Graham Flour, in sacks or in less quantity, made from the best White Wheat.

BOOTS & SHOES.

W. M. EHLERS,

FASHIONABLE

BOOT AND SHOE MAKER

TWENTIETH STREET,

Between Washington Ave & Poplar St.

Boots and Shoes Made to Order. Finest Workmen Employed.

Satisfaction Warranted

Patronage Solicited.

LIQUOR SALOONS.

JOHN GATES

Proprietor of the

Billiard Saloon and Bar Room

El Dorado

108 Commercial Ave.,

Cairo, - - - Illinois

JOHN HYLAND'S SALOON.

Is supplied with all kinds of

SUPERIOR LIQUORS

Beer, Ale, &c.,

ON COMMERCIAL AVENUE

Between Eighth and Ninth streets,

CAIRO, ILLINOIS.

The thirsty, who love good liquor, should give him a call, and those who want a

FRAGRANT CIGAR

Can have their wants supplied at his bar.

COMMISSION—FORWARDING.

J. M. PHILLIPS & CO.,

[Successors to E. B. Hendricks & Co.]

FORWARDING

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Wharf - Boat

PROPRIETORS,

CAIRO, ILLINOIS.

LIBERAL ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS.

Are prepared to receive, store and forward freight to all points, and buy and sell on commission.

Business attended to with promptness.

JNO. B. PHILLIPS,

[Successor to Parker & Phillips]

GENERAL

COMMISSION

FORWARDING MERCHANT

And Dealer in

Flour, Meal, Hay, Corn, Oats,

Brum.

Cor. 10th St. & Ohio Levee

CAIRO, ILLINOIS.

FURNITURE.

B. S. HARREL,

DEALERS IN

FURNITURE

QUEENSWARE,

Bar Fixtures,

GLASSWARE and HOUSE FURNISH-

ING GOODS,

185 and 187 COMMERCIAL AVENUE

Cairo, Illinois.

NOTICES.

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The annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Cairo and Vincennes R. & C. Co., will be held at the office of the Company in the building of the Trustees of the Cairo City Property Company, corner Eighteenth street and Washington avenue, in this city on Tuesday, April 26th, 1870, at 10 o'clock a.m.

D. R. LARNED, Treas.

Cairo, Illinois, April 7th, 1870.